



SUMMARY OF REDUCTION IN SENTENCE CALCULATIONS  
EARNED TIME  
IOWA CODE 903A.2

SENTENCE YEARS	TOTAL DAYS SENTENCE	SENTENCE AFTER 1.2 DAYS EARNED TIME	SENTENCE AFTER 1.5 DAYS EARNED TIME	IMPACT
2	730 days	332 days	292 days	-40 days
5	1826 days	2 years 99 days	2 years 1 day	-98 days
10	3652 days	4 years 199 days	4 years 2 days	-197 days
15	5478 days	6 years 298 days	6 years 2 days	-296 days
25	9131 days	11 years 232 days	10 years 5 days	- 1 year 128 days

NOTE: Earned Time Reduction in Category A (903A.2a) Sentences applies at 1.2 days for each day served to all sentences upon admission except those sexual predator and forcible felony Category B (903A.2b) Sentences which carry an 85% or 70% mandatory. Under these mandatory sentences, earned time would only apply after 70% percent of the mandatory has been completed however an 85% mandatory cannot discharge until 85% of the sentence is completed. Jail credit applied at 1.2 days per day and reduces the mandatory and length of sentence.

If a sex offender receiving Earned Time refuses Sex Offender treatment, Earned Time will stop at this point and not be reinstated until the offender successfully participates and completes Sex Offender Treatment. Following successful completion of sex offender treatment the offender may petition the warden to restore lost earned time.

Under Special Sentences (903B.1 and 903B.2) any revocation that results in the offender being revoked to prison, first offense 2 years and second offense 5 years, the terms are not subject to earned time reduction, however under 903B.2 the special 10 year sentence for class D felony and misdemeanors is subject to earned time reduction.